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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Rui KANO et al. Conf. 3958
Application No. 10/588,903 Group 1644
Filed August 9, 2006 Examiner R. Schwadron
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents June 1, 2009
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 1, 2009, which objected to the Response to Non-Compliant Amendment filed February 12, 2009, which was filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed February 6, 2009, which objected to the Amendment filed December 3, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of this paper.